



Ms. Cotton's OCTOBER Newsletter



October Important Events

Spirit Night-Luby's: October 6th

PTO Meeting: October 7th

Fall Photos: October 10th

Field Trip: Dewberry Farm: October 24th

Please look for information regarding field trip in your child's Tuesday Folder.

Early Dismissal: October 29th

Book Character Parade: October 31st

Monthly Objectives

English Language arts (ELA): Students begin to learn key literacy strategies including story elements, sequencing, and context clues and authors purpose. We will also be introduced to HFW and, are, like, likes, but, us, up, not, on, down, big, little, it, in, go, with, come, to, as, has, want.

Math: This month we will compare the length of given objects using non-standard units of measurement. We will also begin to collect and organize and analyze data to create graphs and interpret information. We will identify coins and how we can earn money. The students will count and represent quantities and collections fluently to 20.

Science: Students will continue to gather information about properties of matter. Students will conduct investigations using their sense of sight to explore light, heat and sound energy.

Social Studies: Students will be introduced to the reasons for certain national patriotic holidays and the contributions of important people in history. They will also be introduced to ways in which families satisfy their basic human needs for food, clothing, and shelter, and to why people work.

Class Notes

Reading logs have started and they are looking good. I've seen a lot of good reading going on in these past 2 weeks, keep up the great work. Remember, reading logs are due every Monday and both the front and back of the page should be completed. Also, please hold your child responsible for completing their reading log. I know it's hard but it is my hope that the child can develop strong reading and writing skills by completing these weekly readings.

Thank you to all the parents who have signed up to come in during our workstation time and volunteer. The students enjoy having you here and it gives us a chance to get a lot more accomplished.

We are now fully stocked with paper towels and disinfecting wipes. Thank you to everyone who donated to our classroom. They will definitely come in handy.

Show and Tell

WEEK 1 Oct. 6 th -10 th	Bring in or draw a picture of something that is a solid, liquid or gas. Describe your object.
WEEK 2 Oct. 13 th -17 th	Students will bring in 3 objects and put them in order based on their length.
WEEK 3 Oct. 20 th -24 th	FREE CHOICE
WEEK 4 Oct. 27 th -31 st	Bring in your favorite story and tell us the setting of it.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

October 6th: Madison M

October 7th: Isha M.

October 24th: Kennedy M.

October 27th: Jay Gary R.